

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF **CARL DECICCO, ET AL**
FOR: **NOVEL GAMMA-LACTAMS AS BETA-SECRETASE INHIBITORS**
APPLICATION NO: **10/634,078** APPLICATION DATE: **08/04/2003**
ART UNIT: **1614** EXAMINER: **ROYDS, LESLIE A**
CONFIRMATION NO: **5245** USPTO CUSTOMER NO: **23914**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

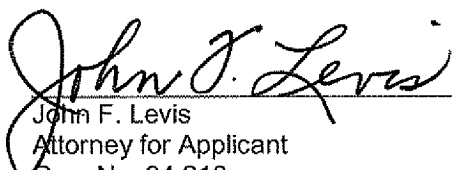
Sir:

The Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment dated April 17, 2008 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on May 17, 2008. A two-month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a). If any additional time is required, then please consider this petition as a conditional request therefor.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company in the amount of \$460 for payment of the extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. **19-3880** in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.

Respectfully submitted,

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